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In response to the Office Action mailed on June 28, 2004 in the above described case, Applicants hereby submit the following amendment and remarks:

- Pages 2-5 of this document contain the claims as proposed to be amended hereby.
- Pages 6-9 contain remarks describing the nature of the amendment and why Applicants believe that the amendment overcomes the rejections.